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COUNCIL ACCEPTS C-2 ZONING ON SHL TRACT WITH CONDITION

by Al Skolnik

City council registered approval at its meeting on June 10 of a gasoline service station on the Springhill Lake North property west of Kenilworth Ave. after reaching agreement with the owners that part of the land nearest Kenilworth Ave. will be dedicated to the city as a buffer zone. The council directed city manager James Giese to notify the Maryland National Capital Park and Planning Commission of its recommendation of C-2 (General Commercial) zoning for the 6-odd acres using the recently-enacted conditional zoning law so that specified conditions would become part of the zoning record.

The C-2 zoning request had been held up by council until it was satisfied that the property would be developed as promised by the owners. The owners, represented by Edward M. Perkins and Harold Kramer, had presented plans to the city for a motel-convention center with shopping arcade and gasoline station. The city was especially concerned lest the gasoline station, located on a 0.8-acre wedge of land near the State Roads Commission Building, would become an eyesore.

To break the impasse, the Springhill Lake owners proposed that two-thirds of the 0.8 acre site be dedicated to the city in return for the remainder being zoned for construction of a gasoline station. The dedicated strip would lie between the gasoline station and existing residential development east of Kenilworth Ave. and could be used by the city to screen any unsightly activities of the gasoline station from view.

Under the accord between the city and the owners, the C-2 zoning would be limited to construction of a motel and/or office buildings, and gasoline station with the site plans for such construction becoming part of the zoning record. If approved by the county commissioners under the conditional zoning law, the owners (both present and future) would be obliged to build in accordance with the site plans. Simultaneously with the approval of the zoning, the strip of land near the gasoline station would be dedicated to the city.

The council directed the city solicitor to draw up the necessary legal papers to implement the agreement.

Lakeside North

In another zoning matter the city was advised that the owners of the Lakeside North Apartments are requesting rezoning of their property from R-30 (14 units per acre) to R-18 (21 units per acre). According to Giese, this zoning would add more than 100 units to the existing 274 units on the 19-acre tract. A similar request had been turned down by council in 1965. Council referred the matter to the city's Advisory Planning Board.

Budget Adopted

Council gave final approval to a \$815,100 budget for 1968-69, but not before there was an exchange of views between Hugh Jascourt, chairman of the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board (PRAB), and the council. Jascourt complained that council had not publicly explained why it had rejected some of PRAB's recommendations such as construction of a comfort station at the Lake and procurement of a bus to serve recreational activities.

Mayor Smith explained that the council considered carefully all of PRAB's recommendations and then made its best judgments in light of the needs of all the departments, the city's urgencies, and the city's financial position. He said this was the first time that any group making recommendations to the city council had requested an accounting from council.

Jascourt replied that the ordinance establishing PRAB gave the Advisory Board a role in the budgetary process and that the council

should at least sit down with the Board and explain its decisions. Several councilmen noted that the council had accepted many, although not all, of PRAB's recommendations.

The new budget as adopted lowers the real property tax from \$0.87 per \$100 assessed valuation to \$0.85. Also included is a levy against the commercial center special taxing district of \$0.99 per \$100 assessed valuation to play for 50 percent of the budgeted cost for cleaning and maintenance of the shopping center area.

In a separate measure, the council adopted new waste collection rates, effective July 1, 1968. The last revision took place four years ago. The basic residential rate for three times a week service is raised from \$2 a month to \$2.50. Other charges would be increased proportionately.

Picnic Permits

The question of permits for picnicking at Greenbelt Lake got an airing, with council leaning toward the idea of assuring table reservations at the park for Greenbelt families. Giese thought it desirable not to make any change in the present system until overall development plans for the Lake Park are completed and a group picnic area is established. Under the present picnic permit regulations, there is no provision for table reservations.

Councilman Dick Pilski thought it would be relatively simple to go ahead immediately and set up reserved areas for groups with permits.

Councilman Bill Hoff voiced a belief that the present permit system was discriminatory in that only groups with permits are permitted to consume beer at the lake. He moved to allow the same privilege to individuals. Council decided to postpone a vote on this until the next council meeting on July 8.

Other Action

Council approved a pay plan for city employees which will provide an average increase of 5 percent for each pay grade, effective July 1.

Council is seeking a meeting with Berwyn Heights officials to discuss proposed commercial zoning for the Jaeger tract. City's APB is meeting with the developers on June 13 to learn their plans firsthand.

Council took final action prohibiting disposal of trash at the city sanitary landfill by non-city vehicles. The move was motivated by a desire to conserve the landfill now that open burning of trash is banned by State law.

Council accepted a low bid of

Woman's Club News

A meeting of the executive board of the Woman's Club has been scheduled for Thursday evening, June 13, at 6 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Delpha McCarl, 9 Forestway. There will be a pot-luck supper; outdoors, if weather permits.

Newly-appointed board members will be presented, and tentative plans for programs for the 1968-69 season will be among subjects discussed.

WHAT GOES ON

Thursday, June 13, 7:45 p.m. GHI Board Meeting, Hamilton Place

Friday, June 14, 8:30 p.m. Duplicate Bridge, Co-op Hospital-ity Room

Saturday, June 15, 9 p.m. Swim Clinic for League officials, Greenbelt Swimming Pool.

June 15, 10 - 12 - Swim Team registration and practice

Sunday, June 16, 8:30 p.m. Public Information Meeting on Poor People's Campaign, Municipal Building.

TO EXPLAIN POOR PEOPLE'S CAMPAIGN

A public information and discussion meeting on the Poor People's Campaign will be held in the Council Room of the Greenbelt Municipal Building at 8:30 p.m., Sunday, June 16. Philip Buskirk, Director of Legislative Research for the Campaign, will explain its principles, goals, activities and plans; and will answer questions on any of its aspects. In addition to the general discussion, more specific information about non-poor participation and the work of the Prince George's County Support Committee will be provided for those who might be interested in becoming personally involved in assisting the Campaign. Literature will be available concerning both the Campaign itself, and proposed Congressional legislation related to it. The meeting is being sponsored jointly by the social-justice committees of several churches in the Greenbelt area.

For further information concerning this event, call John Unger at 474-1052.

\$1,794 submitted by A. H. Smith Company for paving addition to Fire Department's parking lot. Council also approved the appointment of Greenhorne & O'Mara as architects for the addition to the Fire House Building.

Council approved expenditure of \$8,800 for paving and fencing for the new Municipal Service Building.

1968 SUMMER RECREATION SCHEDULE

Registrations are held on Mondays, 9 a.m. to 12 noon. Registration: June 17, July 1, 15, 29, and August 12. All Adult registrations may be made by phone.

LIFETIME SPORTS

Swimming Lessons Minimum age, 6 years old. \$2.50 resident child; \$4.00 for two or more children the same family.

TENNIS LESSONS Minimum age, 8 years old and up. \$1.00 for 8 lessons resident child; \$7.00 for 10 group lessons resident adult.

ARCHERY LESSONS Minimum age, 8 years old and up. \$1.00 for 8 lessons resident child.

GOLF LESSONS Open to children 10 years and over. \$1.00 for 8 lessons resident child.

CANOEING LESSONS Must be able to swim. Adult and children 8 years old and over. \$7.00 for 10 class hours.

RECREATION CLASSES

ARTS AND CRAFTS Open to school age children free. Participants pay for materials used.

JUDO Open to children 10 years old and over and to adults.

GARDENING Open to children 6 years old and over. No charge.

"T" LEAGUE BASEBALL Open to boys 6 to 8 years of age. Registration June 17. No charge.

LIFE SAVING Fee: \$6.00. Junior and Senior to be announced.

COMPETITIVE SWIM LESSONS Minimum age 6 years of age and over. Should be a member of the Greenbelt Swim Team. \$2.50 resident child.

WATER BALLET Open to girls 6 years old and over. \$2.50 resident child.

DIVING Open to boys and girls 6 years old and over. \$2.50 resident child.

SQUARE DANCE Meets in the air conditioned Youth Center multipurpose room on Sundays at 7 p.m.

DAY CAMP AND 19 MORE PROGRAMS ARE DESCRIBED IN THE 1968 SUMMER SCHEDULE. CALL THE RECREATION DEPARTMENT FOR FURTHER INFORMATION AT 474-6878.

APB Revised Goals Draw Fire From Many Quarters

by Sid Kastner

The Advisory Planning Board held a lengthy public hearing on the community goal revisions it proposes, Thursday evening at the Municipal Building. During the first half of the hearing, citizens gave statements; most took a negative view of the proposals. Chairman Ed Wuermser followed the citizen's statements with a presentation of some of the board's reason for the changes in the goals.

Wuermser stated at the opening of the meeting that the APB will present the new goals at the next meeting of City Council, and that additional citizen testimony would be accepted until 5 p.m. on July 13.

The first citizen to speak, Harvey Geller, criticized the idea of revising the original goals, saying "because our old goals have been emasculated is no reason for changing the goals." With regard to the phrase "proper balance of commercial, industrial, and recreational activities," mentioned in the revised goals, he questioned "who determines what is a proper balance - the developers?"

Stephen Polaschik, speaking for the board of Greenbelt Homes Inc., said he felt that adequate notice wasn't given to civic groups such as GHI, and asked for more time to consider the matter. Wallace Cohen of the APB noted that a letter of information was to have been sent to each group; manager Roy Breashears of GHI acknowledged that such a letter had been received, very recently.

Rev. Kenneth Buker expressed support for the new goals listed under the heading of "Transportation". He deprecated the present local transportation in Greenbelt, noting "our transportation isn't good for those people who don't have cars, and for the senior citizens."

Lakesiders Views

George Beauchamp, representing Lakeside Citizen's Association, gave the longest and most detailed statement of the evening. He began by expressing the feelings of his group that the old goals should not be changed "even though things have changed around the goals". He then presented an alternative draft, for consideration by the APB, which combined "the best of the old" with suggestions made in the APB's proposed revision. Some of the points in this version were as follows:

(a) A "bedrock" goal that should be retained was "to preserve and develop to the maximum individually-owned or cooperatively-owned homes."

(b) The proposed new population figure of 45,000 is about 10,000 too high.

(c) The phrase "a variety of housing types", in new goal No. 6, would be acceptable only if the words "individually or cooperatively owned" were inserted.

(d) The current Greenbelt master plan should be followed and defended "against those who continually attack it, erode it, wear it away."

Beauchamp concluded by saying that only for the gravest reasons should the original goals be changed.

Thomas White agreed with Beauchamp that the old goals served well, and felt that one new goal might be required, namely, legislation to stop developers from denuding property. John O'Reilly questioned the procedure adopted by the APB in drawing up the revision. In his view the APB should have first sought the ideas of the community and then based any revision on such ideas.

Questions and Answers

A question and answer period then followed. Miss Katherine Keene asked whether the City Council had asked the APB to revise the goals. Wuermser replied no, but that the APB had applied the changes of today (in the Greenbelt area) to the Master Plan, and had asked "what remains - what can we salvage? At the rate we were going, we were heading for 61,000 people - so the decision was to update the community goals."

Geller and Beauchamp suggested the APB publish both the original and revised goals, with explanations for each change, in the News Review. Wuermser agreed this was a possibility, but said he was fearful that a new Master Plan would soon be coming from the Maryland National Park and Planning Commission and that the city would not be prepared for it.

In answer to other questioners, Wallace Cohen of the board defended its make-up as being representative of all of Greenbelt. He lives in Springhill Lake; Ed Wuermser in Lakewood; Burton Jarmon on Lakecrest Drive; Jerry Jenkins and Robert O'Brien in Boxwood; and Donald Volk on Ridge Road in a GHI home. Board member Donald Volk commented that he felt the original goals were not necessarily inviolate. When the exchange of views started to become fast and furious Beauchamp injected a reminder that the board members were doing their best to serve all residents of Greenbelt.

Comparisons

In the last part of the hearing, Wuermser ran through a comparison of the new goals with the original ones. With respect to new goal No. 2, which advocates "the development of similar centers throughout Greenbelt", he stated the present Center was built for 7,000 people, not 10,000, and that there are formidable barriers between sections of the city. The same reasons applied to new goal No. 25, which would provide library branches in each neighborhood. In new goals No. 27 and 28, he explained that the word "adequate" was left out because its meaning was a matter of personal judgement.

The APB's goal No. 26 would promote facilities for presentation of the performing and visual arts. Wuermser emphasized that this was actually new, because of the "coming-of-age" of Greenbelt. Original goals No. 34 and 35, which aimed at preserving Greenbelt Lake and its surrounding area for park and recreational use, were not included because the city has acquired all the land around the lake and some areas have already been developed, he and Cohen said.

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"A Procedural Travesty"

To the Editor:

The report of the GHI annual meeting published in the May 23 News Review completely ignored the climactic events of the evening and the reasons underlying them. The real story of these events was a rebellion of the members against the procedures used by the Board and some of its officers, not a rebellion against the by-law revisions per se.

The chain of events began with proposed by-law changes by a committee made up entirely of Board members. The next railroading step was Treasurer O'Reilly's motion to bar any amendments from the floor. This attempted one-two punch would have knocked 1570 GHI members out of their right to constructive participation in either the formulation or adoption of by-law changes.

The "climax" developed swiftly after O'Reilly's motion. Article IV, Section 7 of the GHI By-Laws clearly states that procedures at GHI meetings—Membership and Board—shall follow "Robert's Rules of Order (Revised)." The latter clearly gives the membership the right to make various privileged motions, incidental motions, and subsidiary motions, including that to amend. These rights should be especially sacred and jealously guarded in a Cooperative.

Infuriated by the procedural travesty on the members' rights, I jumped to my feet on a point of order to claim that O'Reilly's motion was out of order. When Chairman Schwan ruled against me, I appealed the ruling of the chair: "I appeal to the membership to strike down the arbitrary and arrogant procedures of the Board and its officers, and return this meeting to some semblance of fairness, decency, and the practice of American democratic procedures." This the membership did, by a 50 to 35 vote. And this was the climactic vote of the evening, looming even larger—a 2 to 1 rejection—if board and audit committee members aren't counted.

The reaction to procedures was now under full steam, and Bruce Bowman's motion crashed through by an easy 3 to 1 margin. The final motion by Jackie Shabe to set up a By-Laws Committee composed entirely of non-Board members (Matt Amberg's motion, differing only in one word, had been ruled out of order by the Chairman) was passed overwhelmingly, with less than 10 votes in opposition.

There is a lesson in this to be learned by all of us. Although something can be accomplished with any kind of procedures, the greatest accomplishment stems only from procedures designed to pool the creativity, knowledge, skills, and orderly judgement of the greatest number of people. Cooperatives have the unique opportunity—and a prime responsibility—to exemplify procedures at their very best.

Clifford H. Simonson

Wagner-Wexler

Mrs. David Wagner, 3-C Crescent, announces the marriage of her daughter Ruth Lee to Harry E. Wexler, son of Mrs. Rose Wexler, of Silver Spring. The marriage took place on June 9 at the University of Maryland's Hillel House. Officiating were Rabbi Maurice Weisenberg of Mishkan Torah, and Rabbi Meyer Greenberg of Hillel.

Debbie Wagner was the maid of honor and Rachel Wagner was a bridesmaid. Serving as best man was Jerome Wexler.

The couple are honeymooning on the West Coast and will make their home at the University Square Apartments in Greenbelt.

Urges Gun Controls

To the Editor:

This letter is to urge you and your readers to write to your Congressman and Senators advocating stricter gun control laws. I feel that democracy, as we know it, depends upon the swift enactment of strict gun control laws in our country.

I see absolutely no reason why anyone has to have a gun. Hunters could keep their guns locked up safely at a hunting club or police department. At hunting season they could check them out and lock them up again at the end of the season.

Anyone needing a gun regularly in his work, as perhaps a rancher, can take a strict test and register the gun with his local police department.

Anyone caught with an unauthorized gun should be penalized severely—a fine of over \$5,000, a jail sentence of five years, or both.

I read in an editorial in the Washington Post on Friday, June 7, 1968, that about 18,000 Americans lost their lives from guns in 1967 (homicides and accidental shootings). Great Britain and Japan which have strict gun control laws had less than 50 each.

Saying that love and brotherhood is the answer is fine but until we solve the longer-term problems of hatred and unrest in our country we must stop burying—literally—our great leaders, our country and democracy.

Mrs John P. Bogumill

OLD-FASHIONED JUNE OUTING

Re-scheduled because of the observance of the National Day of Mourning, the June Outing will take place this Sunday, June 16, 1 to 6 p.m. (rain or shine) at the Springhill Lake Elementary School. The P.T.A. invites everyone to an afternoon of continuous food and fun. There will be barbecued chicken, burgers, salads, homemade cakes and pies; also games, races, prizes, ponies, carousel rides and balloons! For further information call 345-2538.

Public Meeting on the

POOR PEOPLE CAMPAIGN

Sunday, June 16, 1968, at 8:30 p.m.

GREENBELT MUNICIPAL BUILDING

Speaker: Philip Buskirk, Director of Legislative Research
for the Poor People's Campaign

Information — Discussion — Questions

FREE — ALL WELCOME

Co-Sponsoring Organizations: Social Action Committee of St. Hugh's Catholic Church; Human Rights Strategy Group of Greenbelt Community Church; Christian Department of Holy Cross Lutheran Church; Christian Social Concerns Commission of Mowatt Memorial Methodist Church; Social Action Committee of Mishkan Torah; Fellowship for Social Action of Paint Branch Unitarian Church. For details phone John Unger, 474-1052.

PTA Wants "Court Parents"

To the Editor:

Greenbelt Center P.T.A. with the cooperation of the faculty, police department, and other nearby parent-teacher associations, hopes to crystalize what may be known to some as the "Block Parent Plan."

The purpose of "Court Parents," as they will be known here in Greenbelt, is not only to act as the eyes and ears of the police but to provide instant recognizable help for any troubled youngster. But Court Parents are not a private force, they only request help from the authorities, and they are not medical technicians (they are prohibited from rendering any sort of treatment except in extreme emergency).

Their function is primarily to be there when a child in need rings their doorbell to know whom to call and what to look for. Volunteers would be parents active in scouts, P.T.A. membership or church organizations, mainly people who have proven themselves to be responsible and to care about children. They would be recognized by a large sign in the window stating "Court Parent" which would be removed whenever leaving the house. Youngsters would be trained at home and in school in the proper use of this essential plan.

Official praise has been commended by J. Edgar Hoover, ex-Governor Pat Brown and police chiefs all over California from which the plan has been a resounding success in sixty communities. It has cut the case-load of possible molestations in half and saved countless young lives via prompt medical attention.

Although Greenbelt is a wonderful community to live in, we are proposing that if one child is helped or saved, no words could fully express the gratefulness of those parents.

We are asking for volunteers interested in being a "Court Parents." For information call Mrs. Demus (474-1187), Mrs. Brigham (474-8651), or Mrs. Lawson (345-3125).

Barbara Lawson

Summer Art Classes

Classes in Beginning and Intermediate Painting will begin at the Springhill Lake Community House, June 17 under the direction of Jack Dillinger of the University of Maryland Art Department. Classes will meet each Monday evening from 7:30 to 10 p.m. for ten weeks. Included in the 25 hours will be work from still life, models, landscape and collage. Registration fee must be paid by first class.

Bible School Registration

Saturday, June 15, from 9:30-11:30 a.m. is Registration-Preparation Day for Greenbelt Baptist Vacation Bible School which runs from June 17-28.

Boys and girls 5 years of age through seventh grade will attend from 8:45-11:45 a.m. "Teeners" (Intermediates and Young People) will attend from 7:30-9:30 p.m. There is no tuition fee.

Bus transportation will be available for children and workers who attend the morning sessions. The bus will make the following route beginning Monday, June 17:

Berwyn Heights:
7:45 - Osage and Paxton Court
Springhill Lake Apartments:
8:00 - Community Center
Lakeside North Apartments:
8:20 - Parking lot at entrance
Greenbelt:
8:30 1. Northway & Hillside Rd.
2. Ridge & Laurel Hill
3. Ridge & Gardenway
4. Ridge & Southway
5. Crescent & Westway

POST OFFICE HAS

NEW PHONE NUMBER

The new telephone number at your local post office is now 345-1335. According to postmaster Emory A. Harman, the single line into the post office, which handled the calls for many years, could not keep up with the increased volume and a double line has now been installed in rotary.

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by that?
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of my brothers, that you do
Whatsoever you do to the least

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Sunday Masses

8:00, 9:30, 11:00, 12:30 p.m.

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4-5:30 p.m. 7:30-9:00 p.m.

Greenbelt Baptist Church

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

June 17-28

Ages: 5 through 7th grade 8:45-11:45 A.M.
TEEN SEMINAR (Intermediates, Young People) 7:00-9:30 P.M.
June 15, Registration-Preparation Day 9:30 A.M.
Free Tuition Bus Transportation

For information, call 474-4040, 937-7613

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Church School 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Classes for pre-schoolers and Nursery provided
40 Ridge Rd. 474-9410 Pastor: 588-0568

9:45 a.m. Sunday School 6:00 p.m. Training Union
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship 7:00 p.m. Evening Worship
Wednesday, 8:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting

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WEEKDAY NURSERY



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XEROX COPIES of documents, papers, etc. \$0.25 per copy. Greenbelt Realty Company, 151 Centerway, Greenbelt.

APARTMENT for rent. Call 474-6400.

YOGA INSTRUCTION - Small classes in postures and practices of Hatha Yoga. Telephone 474-2777

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED BY WORKING MOTHER - Child care. \$50-\$60 wk. 2 wks. pd. vacation. Good references. Call 345-9421 evenings.

GREENBELT CO-OP NURSERY SCHOOL has a part-time opening on its teaching staff for the afternoon session. Applicants with training in early childhood education may call 577-5424.

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TUTOR: - Math, all levels, three years experience, U of Md. Ron Shepler - 474-9283.

I WILL CARE FOR 1 or more children in my home - 345-1479.

FOR SALE: - Misc. household items, bikes, toys & winter clothes. Leaving country, 19-J Ridge Road.

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P.T.-Men - Sink Enclosures
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All exp. men - very reasonable

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Our Neighbors

by Elaine Skolnik - 474-6060
Phletus Paul Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Phletus Williams, 5-E Gardenway, received a Ph.D. in microbiology from the University of North Dakota. Dr. Williams, a graduate of Davis and Elkins College, received his Master's Degree from the University of Maryland. He and his wife, Robyn, live in North Dakota where he is a microbiologist with the United States government.

Swarming around an ice cream

track down at the Center last week were crowds of youngsters - stretching their hands out for some free ice cream. The \$45 treat was on a very generous Marine who recently returned from Vietnam. He preferred to remain anonymous, but the kids of Greenbelt want to say "thank you."

Note the following new addresses: M. Weiner, 44-D Ridge; R. Evans, 19-L Ridge; H. Garner, 54-B Ridge; W. Grady, 14-A Ridge; H. Douglas, 20-G Hillside.

Pen-Pals meet! Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Austin Platz Jr. (Patricia), 9136 Edmonston Court are New Zealanders, Mr. and Mrs. Ron F. Seager, currently living in Apia, Western Samoa. For 10 years, Patricia has been corresponding with Ron. The Seagers will spend two and a half months in the USA traveling to cities across the country where they will also meet some of Ron's ham-radio-operator pals. The Platzes have two children, one a recent arrival. Austin Charles III was born April 16, weighing 7 lbs, 6 1/2 oz. He joins Elizabeth Ann.

Congratulations to Maureen Holmes, 111 Rosewood Drive, for having received her certificate of dental hygiene on June 2 from West Liberty State College, West Liberty, West Virginia. "Mo" was also accepted into Delta Chapter of Sigma Phi Alpha dental hygiene honorary sorority.

Alex Donald Richey, Jr. received his Bachelor of Science degree in Library Science at the 104th Commencement of Gallaudet College, the liberal arts college for the deaf, Washington, D.C., June 3, 1968. His diploma was signed by President Lyndon B. Johnson.

Richey lives at 8-E Laurel Hill Road, with his wife, the former Joan Carol Johnson who is a graduate of the North Carolina School for the Deaf in Morganton. She completed her freshman year at Gallaudet College and now works as editorial assistant in the Aerospace Technology Division of the Library of Congress.

Walter V. Dutton, 5-A Eastway, has been appointed Assistant Superintendent of Mails at the local Post Office. Dutton, a past chief of the Fire Department and Rescue Squad, was formerly employed as a railway mail clerk.

NOTARY PUBLIC

University Square Apts.
345-3061

HELP WANTED

CASHIER and General Office Work, Including Typing. Part-time - eve., Saturday. Send resume to: P. O. Box 215 Greenbelt, Md. 20770

LOST: - Child's Glasses - Braden Field - Friday. Please call 345-7488.

PIANO FOR SALE: - Reconditioned upright, copperdust antique finish. 474-4876.

FOR SALE: - 2-Bedroom Frame - all new kitchen appliances including large frost-free refrigerator and washer, fenced yard and near Center. Call 474-6479 after 5. Anxious to sell by July 1.

WANTED: - Ride to vicinity of 1730 Rhode Island or Conn. & K St., N.W. Hours 8:45-5:00 - phone 345-2398 after 6 p.m.

WILL TAKE CARE of child in my home - any age. 474-6647.

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COMING: a trip to good ole O.C. Sign up at the Youth Center if you are interested.

Friday, June 28 at the Youth Center - Lloyd and the Lonely Souls - 6th grade graduates admitted free.

CHILDREN'S CONCERT AT THE LAKE PARK Tonight, June 13, the Greenbelt Junior High School Band will present a Children's Concert at 8 p.m.

On Sunday, June 16, at 7:30 p.m., the Greenbelt Concert Band will present a concert which will include such favorites as: "On Stage with Cole Porter", "Highlights from Camelot", the "Chopsticks Rock", and many others. In case of inclement weather, all concerts will be cancelled.

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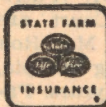
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Progress toward peace has been slow since then but casualties and destruction have risen. The bombing of North Vietnam has not slackened; bombing raids formerly carried out above the 20th parallel have now been diverted south of it.

The war is as destructive of American interests and ideals now as it was before President Johnson's March 31 speech. American casualties have set all-time records since that time. There should be an immediate move on our part to end all bombing and to establish a total cease-fire so that no more lives need be lost while the peace talks proceed.

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